

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	
)	8:11CR194
Plaintiff,)	
)	
vs.)	ORDER
)	
GUILLERMO ORTEGA,)	
)	
Defendant.)	

This matter is before the court on the oral motion of defendant Guillermo Ortega (Ortega) for an extension of the pretrial motion deadline. The motion was made during the arraignment on the Indictment on July 12, 2011. The government had no objection to the motion. Ortega acknowledged the additional time needed for his motion would be excluded under the calculations under the Speedy Trial Act. The oral motion was granted.

IT IS ORDERED:

1. Ortega's motion for an extension of time to file pretrial motions is granted. Ortega shall have **to on or before August 19, 2011**, in which to file pretrial motions in accordance with the progression order.

2. The ends of justice have been served by granting such motion and outweigh the interests of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial. The additional time arising as a result of the granting of the motion, i.e., **from July 12, 2011, to August 19, 2011**, shall be deemed excludable time in any computation of time under the requirement of the Speedy Trial Act for the reason defendant's counsel requires additional time to adequately prepare the case, taking into consideration due diligence of counsel, and the novelty and complexity of this case. The failure to grant additional time might result in a miscarriage of justice. 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A) & (B).

DATED this 12th day of July, 2011.

BY THE COURT:

s/Thomas D. Thalken
United States Magistrate Judge